

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: :  
Bernd RIEDL et al. : Group Art Unit: 1615  
Serial No.: 09/993,647 : Examiner: Depak Rau  
Filed: November 27, 2001 : Via Facsimile: 703-746-5074  
For:  $\omega$ -CARBOXYARYL SUBSTITUTED DIPHENYL UREAS AS RAF  
KINASE INHIBITORS

**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the accompanying application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 1, line 1, after the title insert the paragraph:

--Priority is claimed to provisional application Serial No. Unassigned, filed on  
November 28, 2000.--

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 1-54, 60-67 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 55-59 as follows.

02 Claim 55. (Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of claim 69  
and a physiologically acceptable carrier.

Claim 56. (Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of claim 70  
and a physiologically acceptable carrier.

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